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		Attorney Docket No.	00862.022241				
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	<b>FILING FEES</b>		<b>SEARCH FEES</b>		<b>EXAMINATION FEES</b>		
	<b>Small Entity</b>		<b>Small Entity</b>		<b>Small Entity</b>		
<b>Application Type</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fees Paid (\$)</b>
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	_____
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	_____
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	_____
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	_____
<b>2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES</b>							
						<b>Small Entity</b>	
<b>Fee Description</b>						<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>
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Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent						200	100
Multiple dependent claims						360	180
<b>Total Claims</b>		<b>Extra Claims</b>		<b>Fee (\$)</b>		<b>Fee Paid (\$)</b>	
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Other: _____						_____	

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PATENT APPLICATION

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Application No.: 09/867,432	)	
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Filed: May 31, 2001	)	
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For: IMAGE PROCESSING	)	
APPARATUS, IMAGE	:	
PROCESSING METHOD, AND	)	
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 14, 2005, please amend the application as follows: